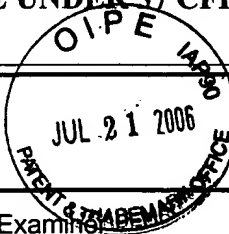


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
YO9-99-314

In Re Application Of: **K. Bhaskaran, et al.**



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/881,024	June 15, 2001	M. P. Francis	30743	2193	7837

Invention: **METHOD AND FRAMEWORK FOR MODEL SPECIFICATION, CONSISTENCY CHECKING AND COORDINATION OF BUSINESS PROCESSES**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 24, 2006 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: May 25, 2006    until: July 24, 2006  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$450** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-2041**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-2041**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

*Signature*

Dated: **July 21, 2006**

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